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APPLICATION OF

JAMES CITY ENERGY PARK, LLC

CASE NO. PUE-2002-00150

For authority to construct and operate an electric generating facility.

HEARING EXAMINER'S RULING

July 29, 2002

On March 8, 2002, James City Energy Park, LLC ("James City Energy" or "Company"), filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and operate an electric generating facility pursuant to § 56-580 D of the Code of Virginia. By its Order for Notice and Hearing dated April 23, 2002, the Commission docketed the application, assigned the matter to a hearing examiner, set a hearing date, established a procedural schedule for the filing of prepared testimony and exhibits, and established public notice requirements.

On July 26, 2002, the Commission Staff, by counsel, moved to modify the scheduling provisions of the Commission's Order for Notice and Hearing. Staff requests that the filing date for Staff testimony and exhibits be extended from August 9 to August 23, 2002. In support, Staff states it will be unable to meet the August 9 filing deadline due to the reassignment of a key Staff member assigned to this matter. Staff further requests that the deadline for filing Company rebuttal testimony and exhibits correspondingly be extended from September 3 to September 6, 2002. Finally, Staff counsel represents that the Company's counsel states the Company does not oppose the motion.

Good cause having been shown, I find the Staff motion for an extension should be, and is hereby, granted. Accordingly,

IT IS DIRECTED:

- 1) That the deadline for filing Staff testimony and exhibits is hereby extended to August 23, 2002; and
- 2) That the deadline for the Company to file any rebuttal testimony and exhibits is hereby extended to September 6, 2002.

Deborah V. Ellenberg Chief Hearing Examiner